

In re Application of:		Group Art Unit: 1614 Examiner: R. Cook
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Serial No.:	09/825,896	AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA
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For:	Novel Pyrrolidine Carboxylate Hair Revitalizing Agents	TECH CENTER 1600/2900

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby disclose to the Office the items identified in this Information Disclosure Statement ("IDS"). The items are listed on the attached forms PTO-1449. As agreed during the Interview held on December 13, 2001, the copies of the items listed on pages 1 and 3 of the attached forms PTO-1449 are considered to satisfy the requirement to submit copies in the concurrently-filed IDS's in U.S. Patent Application Nos. 09/893,567; 09/781,427; 09/784,174; and 09/893,568.

The items identified in this IDS may or may not be "material" pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56. The submission thereof by Applicants is not to be construed as an admission that any such patent, publication, or other information referred to therein is material or considered to be material (*see* 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(h)) or qualifies as "prior art" under 35 U.S.C. § 102 with respect to this invention, unless specifically designated by Applicants as such.

Applicants are aware of the following pending related patent applications:

• 09/089,831, filed on 6/03/98

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- 09/089,377, filed on 6/03/98
- 09/204,238, filed on 12/3/98
- 09/453,571, filed on 12/2/99
- 09/551,618, filed on 4/17/00
- 09/709,318, filed on 11/13/00
- 09/741,437, filed on 12/21/00
- 09/776,904, filed on 2/6/01
- 09/781,427, filed on 2/13/01
- 09/781,433, filed on 2/13/01
- 09/781,426, filed on 2/13/01
- 09/784,174, filed on 2/16/01
- 09/791,661, filed on 2/26/01
- 09/835,523, filed on 4/17/01
- 09/878,225, filed on 6/12/01
- 09/879,888, filed on 6/14/01
- 09/880,028, filed on 6/14/01
- 09/893,567, filed on 6/29/01
- 09/893,568, filed on 6/29/01
- 09/835,397, filed on 4/17/01
- 09/134,472, filed on 8/14/98

This IDS is being submitted under 37 CFR § 1.97(c), that is after mailing of a first Office action on the merits, but before a Final Action under 37 CFR § 1.113 or a Notice of Allowance

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under 37 CFR § 1.311. Accordingly, a fee of \$180.00 is due under 37 CFR §§ 1.17(p) and 1.97(c)(2). Applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the fee amount of \$180.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-2475.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit Deposit Account No. 12-2475 for all fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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